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# RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM TRUST

6/29/82 THIS DECLARATION OF TRUST, made this 28th day of by Paul Robert Lohnes and William H. Walsh (hereinafter called the "Trustees", which term and any pronoun referring thereto shall be deemed to include their successors in trust hereunder and to mean the trustee or the trustees for the time being hereunder, wherever the context so permits).

# ARTICLE I - Name of Trust

The trust hereby created shall be known as the Ridgemont Condominium Trust.

# ARTICLE II - The Trust and Its Purpose

- 2.1 General Purposes. This trust is created as the "Organization of Unit Owners" as required by the provisions of Chapter 183A of the Massachusetts General Laws (hereinafter sometimes referred to as the "Condominium Law") for the purpose of managing and regulating the Ridgemont Condominium (hereinafter referred to as the "Condominium"), established and created by a Master Deed executed by the owner of the land described therein, dated the same date as the date of this Trust and recorded herewith (such owner being hereinafter sometimes referred to as "Declarant").
- 2.2 Definitions. Unless the context otherwise requires, the definintions contained in Section 1 of the Condominium Law shall be applicable to this Trust.
- 2.3 Trust and Not Partnership. It is hereby expressly declared that a trust and not a partnership or corporation is hereby created and that the Unit Owners are beneficiaries and not partners or associates between and among themselves with respect to the trust property, and hold no relation to the Trustees other than as beneficiaries. with only such rights as are conferred upon them as beneficiaries hereunder and under the provisions of the Condominium Law.
- 2.4 Property Held in Trust. All property, real and personal, tangible and intangible, conveyed to or held hereunder by the Trustees shall vest in the Trustees, in trust, to manage, administer and dispose of the same and to receive and/or distribute the income and/or principal thereof for the benefit of the Unit Owners who are owners from time to time of the Units in the Condominium. The beneficial interest of each Unit Owner is set forth in Exhibit C of the Master Deed.

# ARTICLE III - The Trustees

3.1 Number of Trustees; Vacancies. There shall be at all times not less than two Trustees nor more than seven, such number to be determined from time to time by vote at the annual or any special meeting of Unit Owners holding not less than fifty-one per cent of the beneficial interest hereunder; provided, however, that until the Declarants cease to own more than three of the units described in the Master Deed, the number of Trustees shall be two persons consisting of the original Trustees or successor

Frustees as designated by the Declarant. At such time as the Declarant ceases to own more than three the Units, or two years from the date the first Unit Deed is recorded, whichever first occurs, the office held by the original Trustees, or their successors designated by the Declarant, shall be deemed vacant so as to permit such vacancies to be filled in the manner hereinafter set forth. Until such vacancies have been filled, or until the expiration of a period of thirty days after the date upon which Declarant cease to own more than three of the Units, whichever shall first occur, the Trustees may continue to act hereunder. The term of office of the Trustees elected or appointed to fill the vacancies of the original Trustees or of the successors to the original Trustees designated by the Declarants shall be for the period until the annual meeting of the Unit Owners immediately succeeding their election or appointment and until their successors have been elected or appointed and qualified. Thereafter, the term of office of the Trustees shall be for a period of two years and until their successors have been elected or appointed and qualified.

If and whenever the number of such Trustees shall become less than two or less than the number of Trustees last determined as aforesaid, a vacancy or vacancies in said office shall be deemed to exist. Each such vacancy shall be filled by the appointment of a successor who shall be designated by Unit Owners holding at least fifty-one per cent of the beneficial interest hereunder; if such successor shall not be so designated within thirty days after the vacancy occurs, then the remaining Trustees or Trustee shall make such appointment. Each appointment to fill a vacancy, other than by court proceeding, as hereinafter provided, shall become effective upon recording with the Registry of Deeds in which this Trust shall be recorded, an instrument in writing signed by such successor and by a majority of the Trustees and acknowledged by such successor and by at least one of said Trustees. Any appointment by such court proceeding shall become effective upon recording with said Registry of Deeds of a certified copy of such decree and of the acceptance of such appointment subscribed and sworn to by the successor so appointed. If for any reason any successor shall not be so designated within sixty days after the vacancy in office occurs, a Trustee or Trustees to fill such vacancy or vacancies may be appointed by any court of competent jurisdiction upon the application of any Unit Owner and after notice to all Unit Owners and Trustees and to such others as the court may direct. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this Section 3.1, the remaining or surviving Trustees shall continue to exercise and discharge all of the powers, discretions and duties hereby conferred or imposed upon the Trustees and any person appointed as a successor Trustee as hereinbefore provided shallbe vested with the title to the Trust property jointly with the remaining or surviving Trustee or Trustees without the necessity of any act of transfer or conveyance.

- 3.2 Action by Majority. The Trustees may act by a majority vote at any duly called meeting at which a quorum is present and a quorum shall consist of a majority of the Trustees but in no event less than two Trustees. The Trustees, provided there shall be at least two Trustees in office, may also act without a meeting if a written assent thereto is signed by two-thirds of the Trustees then in office.
- 3.3 Resignation and Removal of Trustee. Any Trustee may resign by notice in writing given to each of his co-Trustees and by recording with said Registry of Deeds at any time an instrument in writing signed and acknowledged by him. After reasonable notice and an opportunity to be heard, a Trustee may be removed from office with or without cause by a vote of Unit Owners holding at least fifty-one per cent of the beneficial interest hereunder, except as otherwise provided in Section 3.1 with respect to the original Trustees or their successors designated by the Declarants. Such removal shall become effective upon the recording at said Registry of Deeds of an instrument signed by a majority of the Trustees and acknowledged by at least one Trustee.

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- 3.4 No Bond By Trustees. No Trustee named or appointed, as hereinbefore provided, whether as original or successor Trustee, shall be obliged to give any bond or surety or other security for the performance of his duties hereunder, provided, however, that Unit Owners holding at least fifty-one per cent of the beneficial interest hereunder may at any time, by notice in writing signed by them and delivered to the Trustee or Trustees affected thereby, require that any one or more of the Trustees shall give bond in such amount and with such sureties as shall be specified in such notice. All expenses incident to any such bond shall be charged as a common expense of the Condominium.
- 3.5 Compensation of Trustees. The Trustees shall not be entitled to compensation for their services but shall be reimbursed for all out-of pocket expenses incurred for the benefit of the trust property, which expenses shall constitute common expenses of the Condominium.
- 3.6 No Liability If In Good Faith. No Trustee hereinbefore named or appointed as hereinbefore provided shall under any circumstances or in any event be held liable or accountable out of his personal assets or be deprived of compensation by reason of any action taken, suffered or omitted in good faith or be so liable or accountable for more money or other property than he actually receives, or for allowing one or more of the other Trustees to have possession of the trust books or property, or be so liable, accountable or deprived by reason of honest errors of judgment or mistakes of fact or law or by reason of the existence of any personal or adverse interest or by reason of anything except his own personal and willful malfeasance and defaults.
- 3.7 <u>Self-Dealing</u>. Any and all Trustees, notwithstanding their official relations to the Trust and the beneficiaries, may in the ordinary course of business enter into, negotiate, consummate and perform any contract or agreement of any name or nature between the Trust and/or any or all of the Unit Owners and themselves or any or all of the individuals from time to time constituting the Trustees, or any firm or corporation in in which any of the trustees or any Unit Owner may be interested directly or indirectly, whether such individual, individuals, firm or corporation thus contracting with the Trust shall thereby derive personal or corporate profits or benefits or otherwise; provided, however, that the fact of the interest of such Trustee must be disclosed to the Trustees and that such contract is fair and reasonable in its terms, the intent hereof being to relieve each and every person who may be or become a Trustee from any disability that might otherwise exist from contracting with the Trustees or with the Unit Owners for the benefit of himself or any co-partnership or corporation in which he may be in any way interested.
- 3.8 Indemnity. The Trustees and each of them shall be entitled to indemni y both out of the trust property and by the Unit Owners against any liability incurred by them or any of them in the execution hereof, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, liabilities in contract and in tort and liabilities for damages, penalties and fines. Each Unit Owner shall be personally liable for all sums lawfully assessed for his share of the common expenses of the Condominium and for his proportionate share of any claims involving the trust property in excess thereof, all as provided in Sections 6 and 13 of the Condominium Law. Nothing in this paragraph contained shall be deemed, however, to limit in any respect the powers granted to the Trustees in this instrument.

# ARTICLE IV - Beneficiaries and Beneficial Interest

4.1 <u>Percentage Interests</u>. The beneficiaries shall be the Unit Owners of the Condominium from time to time. The beneficial interest in the Trust hereunder shall be divided amoung the Unit Owners in the percentage of undivided heneficial interest appertaining to the Units of the Condominium as set forth in Exhibit C of the Master Deed.

4.2 Persons To Vote As Unit Owners. Whenever any of said Units is owned of record by more than one person, the several owners of such Unit shall each have an equal percentage of the said beneficial interest. In the case of voting of the beneficial interest where fewer than all of the owners of record of such Unit are voting, the owner or owners voting shall vote the whole beneficial interest of such Unit.

# ARTICLE V - By-Laws

The provisions of this ARTICLE V shall constitute the By-Laws of this Trust and the organization of Unit Owners established hereby, to wit:

- 5.1 Powers of the Trustees. The Trustees shall, subject to and in accordance with all applicable provisions of the Condominium Law, have the absolute control, management and disposition of the Trust property (which term, as herein used, shall, insofar as applicable, be deemed to include the common areas and facilities of the Condominium) as if they were the absolute owners thereof, free from the control of the Unit Owners. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Trustees shall have full power and uncontrolled discretion, at any time and from time to time and without the necessity of applying to any court or to the Unit Owners for leave so to do:
- 5.1.1 To retain the trust property, or any part or parts thereof, in the same form or forms of investment in which received or acquired by them so far and so long as they shall think fit, without liability for any loss resulting therefrom;
- 5.1.2 To sell, assign, convey, transfer, exchange and otherwise deal with or dispose of the trust property or any part or parts thereof, free of all trusts, at public or private sale, for cash or on credit, and in such manner, on such terms, for such considerations and subject to such restrictions, stipulations, agreements and reservations as they shall deem proper, including the power to secure the payment of all or any part of the purchase price of any of the trust property so sold or transferred by mortgage and to execute and deliver any deed or other instrument in connection with the foregoing.
- 5.1.3 To purchase or otherwise acquire title to, and to rent, lease or hire from others for terms which may extend beyond the possible duration of this Trust, any property or rights to property, real or personal, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing, any Unit or Units in the Condominium, and to own, manage, use and hold such property and such rights;
- 5.1.4 To borrow or in any other manner raise such sum or sums of money or other property for such purposes, upon such terms and in such manner as they shall deem advisable, and to evidence the 'same by notes, bonds, securities or other evidence of indebtedness, which may mature at a time or times beyond the possible duration of this Trust, and to execute and deliver any mortgage, pledge, or other instrument to secure any such borrowing;
- 5.1.5 To enter into any arrangement for the use or occupation of the trust property, or any part or parts thereof, including, without thereby limiting the generality of the foregoing, leases, sub-leases, easements, licenses or concessions, upon such terms and conditions and with such stipulations and agreements as they shall deem desirable, even if the same extends beyond the possible duration of this Trust;

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- 5.1.6 To invest and re-invest the trust property or any part or parts thereof from time to time, including power to invest in any type of security or property which they may deem proper, and without liability for loss, even though such property or such investments may not produce income, may be wasting assets or shall be of a character or in an amount not customarily deemed proper for the investment of trust funds;
- 5.1.7 To obtain and maintain such casualty and liability insurance on and with respect to the trust property as they shall deem necessary or proper, consistent with the provisions of Section 5.5 hereof;
- 5.1.8 To incur such liabilities, obligations and expenses, and to pay from the principal or the income of the trust property in their hands all such sums as they shall deem necessary or proper for the furtherance of the purposes of the Trust;
- 5.1.9 To determine as to all sums of money and other things of value received by them, whether and to what extent the same shall be deemed to be and shall be accounted for as principal or as income, and as to all charges or expenses paid by them, whether and to what extent the same shall be charged against principal or against income, including, without hereby limiting the generality of the foregoing, power to apportion any receipt or expense between principal and income, and power to determine what portion, if any, of the actual income received upon any asset purchased or acquired at a premium or any wasting investment shall be added to principal to prevent a diminution thereof upon the maturity or exhaustion of such asset or investment;
- 5.1.10 To vote in such manner as they shall think fit any or all shares in any corporation or trust included in the trust property, and for that purpose to give proxies to any person or persons or to one or more of their number, to vote, waive any notice or otherwise act in respect of any such shares;
- 5.1.11 To guarantee performance of the obligations of others in any cases where they shall deem that it is to the advantage of the Trust that they give such guaranty;
- 5.1.12 To maintain such offices and other places of business as they shall deem necessary or proper and to engage in business in Massachusetts or elsewhere;
- 5.1.13 To deposit any funds of the Trust in any bank or trust company, and to withdraw and draw checks on any funds of the Trust, all in accordance with the provisions of Section 5.11 hereof;
- 5.1.14 To enter and have such access into units in the Condominium as shall be reasonably necessary to the performance and exercise of the duties, obligations, rights and powers of the Trustees hereunder;
- 5.1.15 To employ, appoint and remove such agents, managers, officers, board of managers, brokers, employees, servants, assistants and counsel (which counsel may be a firm of which one or more of the Trustees are members) as they shall deem proper, for the purchase, sale or management of the trust property, or any

part or parts thereof, or for conducting the business of the Trust and may define their respective duties and fix and pay their compensation and the Trustees shall not be answerable for the acts and defaults of any such person. The Trustees may delegate to any such agent, manager, officer, board, broker, employee, servant, assistant or counsel, any or all of their powers (including discretionary power, except that the power to join in amending, altering, adding to, terminating or changing this Declaration of Trust and the Trust hereby created shall not be delegated), all for such times and purposes as they shall deem proper. Without hereby limiting the generality of the foregoing, the Trustees may from time to time designate from their number a Chairman, a Treasurer, a Secretary, and such other officers as they deem fit, and may from time to time designate one or more of their own number to be the Managing Trustee or Managing Trustees, for the management and administration of the trust property and the business of the Trust, or any part or parts thereof; and

5.1.16 Generally, in all matters not herein otherwise specified, to control, manage and dispose of the trust property as if the Trustees were the absolute owners thereof and to do any and all acts, including the execution of any instrument, which by their performance thereof shall be shown to be in their judgment for the best interest of the Unit Owners; and the Trustees shall by the exercise and fulfillment of the powers and provisions set forth in this ARTICLE V provide for the necessary work of maintenance, repair and replacement of the common areas and facilities and payment therefor.

# 5.2 Maintenance and Repair of Units.

- 5.2.1 Each Unit Owner shall be responsible for the proper maintenance and repair of his Unit and the maintenance, repair and replacement of utility fixtures therein serving the same, including without limitation, interior finish walls, ceilings and floors; windows and the interior portions of window frames; interior window trim; doors; the interior portions of door frames and interior door trim; plumbing and sanitary waste fixtures and fixtures for water and other utilities; electrical fixtures and outlets; and all wires, pipes, drains and conduits for water, sewerage, electric power and light, telephone and any other utility services which are contained in and serve such Unit solely. Each Unit Owner shall be responsible for all damages to any and all Units caused by his failure to satisfy his maintenance, repair and/or replacement obligations hereunder.
- 5.2.2 If the Trustees shall, at any time in their reasonable judgment, determine that the interior of a Unit is in such need of maintenance or repair that the market value of one or more other Units is being adversely affected or that the condition of a unit or any fixtures, furnishing, facility or equipment therein is hazardous to any Unit or the occupants thereof, the Trustees shall in writing request the Unit Owner to perform the needed maintenance, repair or replacement or to correct the hazardous condition, and in case such work shall not have been commenced within fifteen days (or such reasonable shorter period in case of emergency as the Trustees shall determine) of such request and thereafter diligently brought to completion, the Trustees shall be entitled to have the work performed for the account of such Unit Owner whose Unit is in need of work and to enter upon and have access to such Unit for such purpose; and the cost of such work as is reasonably necessary therefor shall constitute a lien upon such Unit and the Unit Owner thereof shall be personally liable therefor.

Assessments of Common Expenses. The Trustees shall be responsible for the proper maintenance, repair and replacement of the common areas and facilities of the Condominium (See Section 5.6 for specific provisions dealing with repairs and replacement necessitated because of casualty loss) and any two trustees or any others who may be so designated by the Trustees, may approve payment of vouchers for such work, and the expenses of such maintenance, repair and replacement shall be assessed to the Unit Owners as common expenses of the Condominium at such times and in such amounts as provided in Section 5.4 provided, however, that if the maintenance, repair or replacement of the common areas and facilities is necessitated by the negligence or misuse of a Unit Owner, either directly or by virtue of his failure to properly maintain, repair or replace his Unit, the expenses of such maintenance, repair and replacement may be assessed to the particular Unit Owner by the Trustees and the Unit Owner shall be personally liable therefor.

# 5.4 Common Expenses, Profits and Funds.

- 5.4.1 The Unit Owners shall be liable for common expenses and entitled to common profits of the Condominium in proportion to their respective percentages of beneficial interest as set forth in ARTICLE IV hereof. The Trustees may at any time or times distribute common profits among the Unit Owners in such proportions. The Trustees may, to such extent as they deem advisable, set aside common funds of the Condominium as reserve or contingent funds, and may use the funds so set aside for reduction of indebtedness or other lawful capital purpose, or, subject to the provisions of Section 5.6, for repair, rebuilding or restoration of the trust property or for improvements thereto, and the funds so set aside shall not be deemed to be common profits available for distribution.
- 5.4.2 At least thirty days prior to the commencement of each fiscal year of this Trust (and within thirty days after the execution hereof with respect to the portion of a fiscal year then remaining), the Trustees shall estimate the common expenses expected to be incurred during such fiscal year together with a reasonable provision for contingencies and reserves, and after taking into account any undistributed common profits from prior years, shall determine the assessment to be made for such fiscal year. The Trustees shall promptly render statements to the Unit Owners for their respective shares of such assessments, according to their respective percentages of undivided beneficial interests hereunder, and such statements shall, unless otherwise provided herein, be due and payable within thirty days after the same are rendered. In the event that the Trustees shall determine during any fiscal year that the assessment so made is less than the common expenses actually incurred, they shall make a supplemental assessment or assessments and render statements therefor in the manner aforesaid, and such statements shall be payable and take effect as aforesaid. The Trustees may in their discretion provide for payments or statements in monthly or other installments. The amount of each such payment, together with interest thereon, if not paid when due, at a rate equal to the rate of interest charged to its most favored customers, which may be called prime rate, of The First National Bank of Boston, shall constitute a lien on the Unit of the Unit Owner assessed, pursuant to the provisions of Section 6 of the Condominium Law.
- 5.4.3 The Trustees shall expend common funds only for common expenses and law-ful purposes permitted hereby and by the provisions of the Condominium Law.

- 5.5.1 The Trustees shall obtain and maintain, to the extent available, master policies of casualty and physical damage insurance for the benefit and protection of the Trustees and all of the Unit Owners, naming them as the named insureds, and with loss proceeds payable to the Trustees hereunder, or one or more of the Trustees for hereunder designated by them, as Insurance Trustees for all of the Unit Owners collectively of the Condominium and their respective mortgagees, as their interests may appear, pursuant to such condominium form of insurance as may from time to time be customarily used in Massachusetts, such insurance to cover the building and all other insurable improvements forming part of the common areas and facilities, including the heating equipment and other service machinery, apparatus, equipment and installations in the common areas and facilities, and including also all such portions and elements of the Units as the Unit Owners are responsible for under Section 5.2.1, but not including (a) the furniture, furnishings or other personal property of the Unit Owners; or (b) improvements within a Unit made by the Owners thereof subsequent to the first sale of such Unit by the Declarants, unless such improvement has been made with the written consent of the Trustees pursuant to which such Unit Owner agrees to pay any additional insurance premiums resulting therefrom. If such agreement is not made, insuring such improvement shall be the separate responsibility of the Unit Owner. Such insurance shall, insofar as practicable, be maintained in an amount equal to at least100% of the replacement value of the insured property for insurance purposes as determined by the Trustees (who shall review such value at least as often as annually), and shall insure against (a) loss or damage by fire and other hazards covered by the standard extended coverage endorsement; and (b) such other hazards or risks as the Trustees from time to time in their discretion shall determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to, vandalism, malicious mischief, windstorm and water damage, and boiler and machinery explosion or damage. Such insurance may have a deductible amount to be determined from time to time by the Trustees.
- 5.5.2 All policies of casualty or physical damage insurance shall, insofar as practicable, provide (a) that such policies may not be canceled, terminated or substantially modified as to amount of coverage or risks covered without at least thirty days' written notice to the insureds; (b) for waiver of subrogation as to any claims (except claims involving arson or fraud) against the Trust, the Trustees, the manager, agents, employees, the Unit Owners and their respective employees, agents and guests; (c) for waivers of any defense based upon the conduct of any insured; and (d) in substance and effect that the insurer shall not be entitled to contribution as against any casualty or property insurance which may be purchased separately by Unit Owners.
- 5.5.3 The Trustee or Trustees hereunder designated as Insurance Trustee or Trustees as aformsaid, shall collect and receive all casualty loss insurance proceeds and shall hold, use, apply and disburse the same in accordance with applicable provisions of Section 5.6 of this ARTICLE V. With respect to losses covered by such insurance which affect portions or elements of a Unit, or of more than one Unit to substantially the same or to different extents, the proceeds relating thereto shall be used, applied and disbursed by the Trustees in a fair and equitable manner.
- 5.5.4 The Trustees shall also so obtain and maintain, to the extent available, master policies of insurance with respect to the common areas and facilities, for the benefit of the Trustees and all of the Unit Owners, for (a) comprehensive public

Diability, including personal injury coverage which shal. Lover claims of any Unit Owner; (b) workmen's compensation and employees liability with respect to any manager, agent or employee of the Trust, but excluding any independent agent or manager who shall furnish to the Trustees a Certificate of Insurance if such liability is otherwise uninsured against, it being agreed that the Trustees may waive such requirement in any particular instance, at their discretion; and (c) such other risks as the Trustees in their discretion deem it appropriate to insure. All such insurance shall be in such amounts and forms as the Trustees shall in their discretion deem appropriate, and shall, insofar as practicable, contain provisions as above set forth with respect to non-cancellation, waiver of subrogation, waiver of defense based on conduct of any insured, and non-contribution.

5.5.5 The cost of all such insurance obtained and maintained by the Trustees pursuant to provisions of this Section 5.5 shall be a common expense.

# 5.6 Rebuilding, Restoration and Improvements.

- 5.6.1 In the event of any casualty loss to the common areas and facilities, the Trustees shall determine in their reasonable discretion whether or not such loss exceeds ten percent of the value of the Condominium immediately prior to the casualty, and shall notify all Unit Owners of such determination. If such loss as so determined does not exceed ten percent of such value, the Trustees shall proceed with the necessary repairs, rebuilding or restoration in the manner provided in Paragraph (a) of Section 17 of the Condominium Law. If such loss as so determined exceeds ten percent of such value, the Trustees shall forthwith submit to all Unit Owners (a) a form of agreement (which may be in several counterparts) by the Unit Owners authorizing the Trustees to proceed with the necessary repair, rebuilding or restoration; and (b) a copy of the provisions of said Section 17; and the Trustees shall thereafter proceed in accordance with, and take such further action as they may in their discretion deem advisable in order to comply with the provisions of Paragraph (b) of said Section 17.
- 5.6.2 If and whenever the Trustees shall propose to make any improvement to the common areas and facilities of the Condominium, or shall be requested in writing by Unit Owners holding twenty-five percent or more of the beneficial interest hereunder to make any such improvement, the Trustees shall submit to all Unit Owners (a) a form of agreement (which may be in several counterparts specifying the improvement or improvements proposed to be made and the estimated cost thereof, and authorizing the Trustees to proceed to make the same; and (b) a copy of the provisions of Section 18 of the Condominium Law. Notwithstanding the foregoing, so long as the Declarants have any beneficial interest hereunder, the Trustees shall not be required to submit the aforementioned documents to the Unit Owners unless a request for improvements is made by Unit Owners holding at least fifty percent of the beneficial interest hereunder. Upon whichever of the following shall first occur. namely, (a) the receipt by the Trustees of such agreement signed by Unit Owners holding at least seventy-five percent of the beneficial interest hereunder; or (b) the expiration of ninety days after such agreement was first submitted to the Unit Owners, the Trustees shall notify all Unit Owners of the aggregate percentage of Unit Owners who have then signed such agreement. If such percentage exceeds fifty percent, the Trustees shall proceed to make the improvement or improvements specified in such agreement.

- in the event that any Unit Owner or Owners shall by notice in writing to the Trustees dissent from any determination of the Trustees with respect to the value of the Condominium or of any Unit or Units or any other determination or action of the Trustees under this Section 5.6, and such dispute shall not be resolved within thirty days after such notice, then either the Trustees or the dissenting Unit Owner or Owners may submit the matter to arbitration, and for that purpose, one arbitrator shall be designated by the Trustees, one by the dissenting Unit Owner or Owners, and a third by the two arbitrators so designated and such arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the rules and procedures of the American Arbitration Association; and (b) the Trustees shall not in any event be obliged to proceed with any repair, rebuilding or restoration, or any improvement, unless and until they have received funds in an amount equal to the estimate of the Trustees of all costs thereof.
- 5.6.4 If and whenever any Unit Owner shall propose to make an improvement to or affecting the common areas and facilities of the Condominium at such Unit Owner's own expense, and the Trustees determine in their reasonable discretion that such improvement would be consistent and compatible with the provisions and intent of the Master Deed, the Trustees may, but shall not be obligated to, authorize such improvement to be made at the sole expense of the Unit Owner proposing the same, without the consent or approval of other Unit Owners, subject to such contractual undertakings of the Unit Owner proposing such improvement as the Trustees in their reasonable discretion deem to be necessary or desirable in the circumstances.
- 5.7 Rules, Regulations, Restrictions and Requirements. The Trustees may, at any time and from time to time, adopt, amend and rescind (without the consent of the Unit Owners) administrative rules and regulations governing the details of the operation and use of the common areas and facilities, and such restrictions on and requirements respecting the use, occupancy and maintenance of the Units and the use of the common areas and facilities as are consistent with the provisions of the Master Deed and are designed to prevent unreasonable interference with the use by the Unit Owners of their Units and of the common areas and facilities.

# 5.8 Meetings.

- 5.8.1 The Trustees shall meet annually on the date of the annual meeting of the Unit Owners and at such meeting may elect the Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary as hereinbefore provided. Other meetings may be called by the Chairman and in such other manner as the Trustees may establish, provided, however, that written notice of each meeting stating the place, day and hour thereof shall be given at least four days before such meeting to each of the trustees.
- 5.8.2 There shall be an annual meeting of the Unit Owners on the third Tuesday in May of each year, commencing with the year 1983 at 7:30 P.N. in Boston, Massachusetts, or at such other reasonable place and time as may be designated by the Trustees by written notice given to the Unit Owners at least seven days prior to the date so designated. Special meetings of the Unit Owners may be called at any time by the Trustees and shall be called by them upon the written request of Unit Owners holding at least 33 1/3 percent of the beneficial interest. Written notice of an such meeting designating the place, day and hour thereof shall be given by the Trustees to the Unit Owners at least fourteen days prior to the date so designated. At the annual meeting of the Unit Owners, the Trustees shall submit reports of the management and finances of the Condominium. Whenever at any meeting the Trustees propose to submit to the Unit Owners any matter with respect to which approval of or action by the Unit Owners is necessary or appropriate, the notice of such meeting shall so state and reasonably specify such matter.

- 5.9 Notices to Unit Owners. Every notice to any Unit Owner required or permitted under the provisions hereof or which may be ordered in any judicial proceeding shall be deemed sufficient and binding if a written or printed copy of such notice shall be given by one or more of the Trustees to such Unit Owner by leaving such notice with him at his residence in the Condominium or by mailing it, postage prepaid, and addressed to such Unit Owner at his address as it appears upon the records of the Trustees, at least three days prior to the date fixed for which such notice is given, or at such earlier time as may be specified herein for such notice.
- 5.10 Inspection of Books, Report to Unit Owners. Books, accounts and records of the Trustees shall be open to inspection to any one or more of the Trustees and the Unit Owners at all reasonable times. The Trustees shall, as soon as reasonably possible after the close of each fiscal year, or more often if convenient to them, submit to the Unit Owners a report of the operations of the Trustees for such year which shall include financial statements in such summary form and in such detail as the Trustees shall deem proper. Any person who has been furnished with such report and shall have failed to object thereto by notice in writing to the Trustees given by certified or registered mail within a period of sixty days of the date of the receipt by him shall be deemed to have assented thereto.
- 5.11 Checks, Notes, Drafts and Other Instruments. Checks, notes, drafts and other instruments for the payment of money drawn or endorsed in the names of the Trustees or of the Trust may be signed by any two Trustees, or by any person or persons to whom such power may at any time or from time to time be delegated by not less than a majority of the Trustees.
- 5.12 Seal. The Trustees may adopt a seal circular in form bearing the inscription "Ridgemont Condominium Trust 19.82" but such seal may be
  altered by the Trustees at pleasure, and the Trustees may, at any time or from time to
  time, at their option, adopt a common or wafer seal which shall be valid for all purposes.
- 5.13 <u>Fiscal Year</u>. The fiscal year of the Trust shall be the year ending with the last day of March or such other date as may from time to time be determined by the Trustees.
- 5.14 Removal from Condominium Law. Until such time as the Declarants have no beneficial interest hereunder, Unit Owners holding one hundred per cent of the beneficial interest shall be required to approve the removal of the Condominium described herein from the provisions of the Condominium Law, and thereafter, the provisions of Section 19 of said Law shall apply; provided, however, if the Declarants approve of such removal, the approval of Unit Owners holding at least seventy-five per cent of the beneficial interest, in the aggregate, shall be required for such removal.

# ARTICLE VI - Rights and Obligations of Third Parties Dealing with the Trustees

6.1 <u>Dealing with Trustees</u>. No purchaser, mortgagee, lender or other person dealing with the Trustees as they then appear of record in said Registry of Deeds need inquire further as to the persons who are then Trustees hereunder. The receipts of the Trustees or any one or more of them for monies or things paid or delivered to them or him shall be effectual discharges therefrom to the persons paying or delivering the same, and no person from whom the Trustees or any one or more of them shall recieve any money, property or other credit shall be required to see to the application thereof. No purchaser, mortgagee, lender or other person dealing with the Trustees or with any real or personal

and from time to time, amend, alter, add to or change this Declaration of Trust in any manner or to any extent, the Trustees first, however, being duly indemnified to their reasonable satisfaction against outstanding obligations and liabilities; provided always, however, that no such amendment, alteration, addition or change shall be valid or effective if:

- 7.1.1 Made without the consent of the Declarants prior to the date on which the Declarants cease to own more than three of the Units described in the Master Deed; or
- 7.1.2 It would alter, or in any manner or to any extent whatsoever, modify or affect the percentage of beneficial interest of any Unit Owner hereunder so as to be different than the percentage of the individual interest of such Unit Owner in the common areas and facilities as set forth in the Master Deed; or
- 7.1.3 It would render this Trust contrary to or inconsistent with any requirements or provisions of the Condominium Law.
- 7.2 Necessity for Recording Amendments, Alterations, Additions or Changes. Any amendment, alteration, addition or change pursuant to the foregoing provisions of this ARTICLE VII shall become effective upon the recording with said Registry of Deeds of an instrument of amendment, alteration, addition or change, as the case may be, signed, sealed and acknowledged in the manner required for the acknowledgment of deeds by the Trustees, setting forth in full the amendment, alteration, addition or change and reciting the consent of the Unit Owners herein required to consent thereto. Such instrument, so executed and recorded, shall be conclusive evidence of the existence of all facts and of compliance with the presequistites to the validity of such amendment, alteration, addition or change, whether stated in such instrument or not, upon all questions as to title or affecting the rights of third persons and for all other purposes. Nothing contained in this ARTICLE VII shall be construed as making it obligatory upon the Trustees to amend, alter, add to or change the Declaration of Trust upon obtaining the necessary consent as hereinbefore provided.
- 7.3 <u>Termination</u>. The Trust hereby created shall terminate only upon the removal of the Condominium from the provisions of the Condominium Law in accordance with the procedure therefor set forth in Section 19 of said Law as may be modified by Section 5.14 hereof.
- 7.4 Disposition of Property on Termination. Upon the termination of this Trust, the Trustees may, subject to and in accordance with provisions of the Condominium Law, sell and convert into money the whole of the trust property, or any part or parts thereof, and, after paying or retiring all known liabilities and obligations of the Trustees and providing for indemnity against any other outstanding liabilities and obligation, shall divide the proceeds thereof among, and distribute in kind (at valuations made by them which shall be conclusive) all other property then held by them in trust hereunder to, the Unit Owners according to their respective percentages of beneficial interest hereunder. In making any sale under this provision, the Trustees shall have power to sell or vary any contract of sale and to resell without being answerable for loss and, for said purposes, to do all things, including the execution and delivery of instruments, as may by their performance thereof be shown to be in their judgment necessary or desirable in connection therewith. The powers of sale and all other powers herein given to the Trustees shall continue as to all property at any time remaining in their possession or ownership, even though all times herein fixed for distribution of trust property may have passed.

property which then is or formerly was trust property shall be bound to ascertain or inquire as to the existence or occurrence of any event or purpose in or for which a sale, mortgage, pledge or charge is herein authorized or directed, or otherwise as to the purpose or regularity of any of the acts of the Trustees or any one or more of them purporting to be done in pursuance of any of the provisions or powers herein contained.

- 6.2 Recourse Against Trustees. No recourse shall at any time be had under or upon any note, bond, contract, order, instrument, certificate, undertaking, obligation, covenant or agreement, whether oral or written, made, issued or executed by the Trustees or by any agent or employee of the Trustees or by reason of anything done or omitted to be done by or on behalf of them or any of them against the Trustees individually, or against any such agent or employee or against any beneficiary either directly or indirectly, by legal or equitable proceeding, or by virtue of any suit or otherwise, and all persons extending credit to, contracting with or having any claim against the Trustees, shall look only to the trust property for payment under such contract or claim or for the payment of any debt, damage, judgment or decree or of any money that may otherwise become due or payable to them from the Trustees so that neither the Trustees nor the beneficiaries, present or future, shall be personally liable therefor; provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be deemed to limit or impair the liability of Unit Owners under the provisions of Section 3.8 hereof or under the provisions of Condominium Law.
- 6.3 Instruments Subject to Trust Terms. Every note, bond, contract, order, instrument, certificate, undertaking, obligation, covenant or agreement, whether oral or written, made, issued or executed by the Trustees or by any agent or employee of the Trustees shall be deemed to have been entered into subject to the terms, conditions, provisions and restrictions hereof, whether or not express references shall have been made to this instrument.
- 6.4 Certifications by Trustees for Recording. This Declaration of Trust and any amendments hereto and any certificate herein required to be recorded and any other certificate signed and sworn to by said Trustees or any one or more of them which it may be deemed desirable to record may be recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds and such record shall be deemed conclusive evidence of the contents and effectiveness thereof according to the tenor thereof; and all persons dealing in any manner whatsoever with the Trustees, the trust property or any beneficiary hereunder shall be held to have notice of any alteration or amendment of this Declaration of Trust, or change of Trustee or Trustees, when the same shall be recorded with said Registry of Deeds. Any certificate signed by the Trustees in office at the time or any one or more of them, setting forth as facts any matters affecting the Trust, including statements as to who are the beneficiaries, as to what action has been taken by the beneficiaries, and as to matters determining the authority of the Trustees to do any act, when duly acknowledged and recorded with said Registry of Deeds shall be conclusive evidence as to the existence of such alleged facts in favor of all third persons, including the Trustees, acting in reliance thereon. Any certificate executed by the Trustees hereunder or any one or more of them, as the case may be, shall, as to all persons acting in good faith in reliance thereon, be conclusive evidence of the truth of the statements made in such certificate and of the existence of the facts therein set forth.

## ARTICLE VII - Amendments and Termination

7.1 Amendment of Trust. The Trustees, with the consent in writing of Unit Owners holding at least fifty-one percent of the beneficial interest hereunder, may at any time

# ARTICLE VIII - Construction and Interpretation

- 8.1 Terms. In the construction hereof, whether or not so expressed, words used in the singular or in the plural respectively include both the plural and singular, words denoting males include females and words denoting persons include individuals, firms, associations, companies (joint stock or otherwise), trust and corporations unless a contrary intention is to be inferred from or required by the subject matter or context. The cover, title, headings of different parts hereof, the table of contents and the marginal notes, if any, are inserted only for the convenience of reference and are not to be taken to be any part hereof or to control or affect the meaning, construction, interpretation or effect hereof. All the trusts, powers and provisions herein contained shall take effect and be construed according to the law of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
- 8.2 Consents. Wherever it is provided herein that the permission, approval or consent of any party is required, such permission, approval or consent shall not be unreasonably withheld. The Trustees have the power and authority to waive any provision of this Trust affecting or limiting the rights of a Unit Owner for any cause or reason determined to be reasonable by such Trustees in their discretion.
- 8.3 <u>Conflicts</u>. If any provision of this Trust shall be invalid or shall conflict with the <u>Condominium Law</u>, then (a) such invalidity shall not impair or affect the validity or enforceability of the other provisions of this Trust; and (b) such conflict shall be controlled by the provisions of the Condominium Law applicable thereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Trustees have hereunto set their hands and seals on the day and year first above set forth.

Paul Robert Lohnes

William H Walsh

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

SUFFOLK, SS:

June 25, 1982

Then personally appeared the above named Paul Robert Lohnes and William H. Walsh and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be their free act and deed, before me.

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My Commission Expires:

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#### MASTER DEED OF THE RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM

I. Paul Robert Lohnes of 100 Propeizi Way. Somerville, Massachusetts. (hereinafter referred to as "Declarant"), being the sole owner of certain premises in Boston, Suffolk County, Massachusetts. described in Exhibit A hereto (the "premises"), by duly executing and recording this Master Deed, do hereby submit said premises to the provisions of Chapter 183A of the General Laws of Hassachusetts and propose to create and do hereby create a condominium (the "Condominium") to be governed by and subject to the provisions of said Chapter 183A, as amended, and to that end I hereby declare and provide as follows:

#### 1. Name

The name of the Condominium shall be:

#### RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM

#### 2. Description of the Land

A description of the land on which the buildings and improvements are located is more particularly described in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof, which land and buildings are subject to and have the benefit of, as the case may be, the easements, encumbrances, restrictions and appurtenant rights set forth and contained in said Exhibit A.

#### Description of Buildings

The description of the building comprising the Condominium, stating the number of stories, the number of Units and the principal materials of which it is constructed is set forth and described in Exhibit B attached hereto and made a part hereof.

## Description of Units and Unit Boundaries

The Condominium Units and the designations, locations, approximate areas, number of rooms, immediately accessible common areas and other descriptive specifications thereof are as set forth in Exhibit C attached hereto and made a part hereof, and as shown on the Plans.

#### Common Areas and Facilities

The common areas and facilities of the Condominium (hereinafter sometimes called "Common Elements") comprise and will consist of:

(a) The land, together with and subject to all easements, encumbrances, restrictions and appurtenances described in Exhibit A:

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- (b) The yards, lawns, access ways, walkways, sidewalks, driveways, parking areas, and the improvements thereon and thereof, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, walls, steps, sillcocks, lighting fixtures and plants; provided, however, that certain Units shall have as appurtenant to them the exclusive right and easement to use the parking space or spaces shown on the Plan, as designated in the first deed of the Unit by the Declarants or thereafter acquired by a Unit Owner;
- (c) All areas of the building comprising the Condominium and all facilities, installations and improvements therein which are not within the boundaries of the Units as defined in this Master Deed, including, without limiting the generality of the foregoing:
  - (1) The foundations, structural elements, columns, beams, studs, joists, supports, exterior walls and roof of the building, fire walls, walls between Units and walls between the common areas and the Units;
  - (2) The building entrances, entrance halls, stair halls, stairways, heating plant room, electrical equipment room, parking garages, laundry and storage area, and all improvements thereto, equipment and fixtures therein, and other features and facilities thereof;
  - (3) All conduits, ducts, pipes, plumbing, wiring, electric meters and other facilities for the furnishing of utility services which are contained in portions of the building contributing to the structure or support thereof, provided, nevertheless, that all such facilities contained within any Unit which serve parts of the Condominium other than the Unit within which such facilities are contained shall be included as common facilities;
  - (4) Installations of central services, including all equipment attendant thereto, excluding equipment contained within and servicing a single Unit; and
  - (5) All other apparatus and installations existing in the Building for common use or necessary or convenient to the existence, maintenance or safety of the Building.
- (d) All other items listed as such in Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 183A and located on the Land, PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that certain Unit Owners shall have exclusive rights and easements to use certain common areas as set forth in paragraph 6A hereof.

#### 6. Determination of Percentage Interest in Common Elements

The owners of each Unit shall be entitled to an undivided interest in the Common Elements in the percentage set forth in Exhibit C hereto for such Unit. The percentages of interest of the respective Units in the Common Elements have been determined upon the basis of the approximate relation which the fair value of each Unit on the date hereof bears to the aggregate fair value of all the Units on this date.

#### 6A. Exclusive Use - Deck

The Owner of Unit 25 shall have the exclusive right and casement to use the Deck appurtenant to the living-dining area, laundry and storage room of said Unit and the storage closet off of said Deck as shown on the plans of the Condominium recorded herewith.

#### 68. Parking

All exclusive rights and easements of use with respect to parking spaces shall be conveyed only with the Units to which said rights are appurtenant and shall not be severable from such Unit; provided, however, that notwithstanding the foregoing, a Unit Owner may convey his exclusive right and easement of use with respect to a parking space(s) obtained by him to another Unit Owner, the effect of which shall be that at all times the exclusive right and easement of use with respect to all parking spaces shall be held by Unit Owners.

#### 7. Floor Plans

The verified floor plans of the building showing the layout, location, Unit numbers and dimensions of the Units and such other matters as are required by law, are attached hereto.

#### 8. Use of Building and Units

The purposes for which the building and the Units are intended to be used are as follows:

- (a) The Buildings and each of the Units are intended only for residential purposes. No use may be made of any Unit except as a residence for the Owner thereof or his permitted lessees and the members of their immediate families or for no more than two persons unrelated by blood or marriage:
- (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 8 and 9 of this Master Deed, the Declarants hereof may, until all of the Units have been sold by the Declarants, let or lease Units which have not been sold by the Declarants and use any Unit owned by the Declarants as models for display for the purpose of selling or leasing Units, or other lawful purposes; and
- (c) Each of the parking spaces is intended to be used solely for the parking of private passenger vehicles.

#### 9. Restrictions on Use of Units

The restrictions on the use of the Units are as follows:

- (a) No Unit shall be used or maintained in a manner contrary to or inconsistent with the comfort and convenience of the occupants of the Units, the provisions of the Ridgemont Condominium Trust, the By-Laws set forth therein and the rules and regulations promulgated pursuant thereto;
- (b) The owners of any Unit may at any time and from time to time change the use and designation of any room or space within such Unit, subject to the provisions of Sections 8 and 9 hereof, and may modify, remove and install non-bearing walls lying wholly within such Unit, provided, however, that any and all work with respect to the removal and installation of interior non-bearing walls or other improvements shall be done in a good and workmanitke manner, pursuant to a building permit duly issued therefor (if required by law) and pursuant to plans and specifications which have been submitted to and approved by the Trustees of the Ridgemont Condominium Trust, hereinafter referred to, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed;

- (c) In order to preserve the architectural integrity of the building and the Units, without modification, and without limiting the generality thereof, no balcony, awning, screen, antenna, sign, banner or other device, and no exterior change, addition, structure, projection, decoration or other feature shall be erected or placed upon or attached to any Unit or any part thereof, no addition to or change or replacement (except, so far as practicable, with identical kind) of any exterior light, door knocker or other exterior hardware, exterior Unit door, or door frames shall be made and no painting or other decoration shall be done on any exterior part or surface of any Unit nor on the interior surface of any window; and
- (d) The limitations on use and restrictions set forth in Sections 8 and 9 hereof shall be for the benefit of the owners of the Units and the Trustees of the Ridgemont Condominium Trust as the persons in charge of the Common Elements, shall be enforceable solely by said Trustee, and shall, insofar as permitted by law, be perpetual; and to that end, such limitations on use and restrictions may be extended by said Trustees at such time or times and in such manner as permitted or required by law for the continued enforceability thereof. Said restrictions may be waived in specific cases by such Trustees.

#### 10. Amendments

This Master Deed may be amended by an instrument in writing:

- signed by the Unit Owners entitled to seventy-five (75%) percent or more of the undivided interests in the Common Elements;
- (ii) signed and acknowledged by a majority of the Trustees of the Ridgemont Condominium Trust hereinafter referred to; and
- (iii) duly recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds,

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that:

- (a) The date on which any such instrument is first signed by a Unit Owner shall be indicated thereon as the date thereof and no such instrument shall be of any force or effect unless the same shall have been so recorded within six (6) months after such date;
- (b) No instrument of amendment which alters the dimensions of any Unit shall be of any force or effect unless the same has been signed by the owners of the Unit so altered;
- (c) No instrument of amendment affecting any Unit in a manner which impairs the security of a mortgage of record thereon held by a bank or insurance company or of a purchase money mortgage shall be of any force or effect unless the same has been assented to by such holder;

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- (d) No instrument of amendment which alters the percentage of the undivided interest in and to the Common Elements to which any Unit is entitled shall be of any force or effect unless the same has been signed by all Unit Owners and said instrument is recorded as an Amended Master Deed;
- (e) No instrument of amendment which purports to increase or decrease or redefine the property defined herein as Common Elements shall be of any force or effect unless signed by the Unit Owners entitled to one hundred (100%) percent of the undivided interests in the Common Elements; and
- (f) No instrument of amendment which alters this Master Deed in any manner which would render it contrary to or inconsistent with any requirements or provisions of said Chapter 183A, as amended, of the General Laws of Massachusetts shall be of any force or effect.

#### 11. Managing Entity

The entity through which the Unit Owners will manage and regulate the Condominium established hereby is the Ridgemont Condominium Trust, a Hassachusetts Trust; a copy of the Declaration of Trust (including the By-Laws thereof) being recorded herewith. Such Declaration of Trust established a trust for the benefit of all Unit Owners in which each Unit Owner shall have a beneficial interest and membership in proportion to its percentage of undivided interest in the Common Elements to which such Owner is entitled hereunder. The names and addresses of the original and present Trustees thereof are Paul Robert Lohnes of 100 Propelzi Way, Somerville, Hassachusetts, and William H. Walsh of 954 Cambridge Street, Cambridge, Hassachusetts. The Trustees have enacted By-Laws pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 183A of the General Laws of Hassachusetts.

#### 12. Units Subject to Master Deed, By-Laws, Unit Deed and Rules and Regulations

All present and future owners, tenants, visitors, servants and occupants of Units shall be subject to, and shall comply with, the provisions of this Master Deed, the Unit Deed, the By-Laws, and the Rules and Regulations of the Ridgemont Condominium Trust, as they may be amended from time to time (collectively called the "Documents" herein). The acceptance of a deed or conveyance or the entering into occupancy of any Unit shall constitute an agreement that (a) the provisions of the Documents as they may be amended from time to time are accepted and ratified by such owner, tenant, visitor, servant or occupant, and all such provisions shall be deemed and taken to be covenants running with the land and shall bind any person having at any time any interest or estate in such Unit, as though such provisions were recited and stipulated at length in each and every deed or conveyance or lease thereof, and (b) a violation of the provisions of the Documents by any such person shall be deemed a substantial violation of the duties of the respective Unit Owner.

## 13. Encroachments

If any portion of the Common Elements now encroaches upon any Unit, or if any Unit.

now encroaches upon any other Unit or upon any portion of the Common Elements, or if any such encroachment shall occur hereafter as a result of (a) settling of the Buildings,

or (b) alteration or repair to the Common Elements made by or with the consent of the Trustees, or (c) as a result of repair or restoration of the Buildings or a Unit after damage by fire or other casualty, or (d) as a result of condemnation or eminent domain proceedings, a valid easement shall exist for such encroachment and for the maintenance of the same so long as the Building stands.

# 14. Pipes, Wires, Flues, Ducts, Cables, Conduits, Public Utility Lines and other Common Elements Located Inside of Units

Each Unit Owner shall have an easement in common with the owners of all other Units to use all pipes, wires, ducts, flues, cables, conduits, public utility lines and other Common Elements located in any of the other Units and serving his Unit. Each Unit shall be subject to an easement in favor of the owners of all other Units to use the pipes, wires, ducts, flues, cables, conduits, public utility lines and other Common Elements serving such other Units and located in such Unit. The Trustees shall have a right of access to each Unit to inspect the same, to remove violations therefrom and to maintain, repair or replace the Common Elements contained therein or elsewhere in the Buildings

#### 15. Invalidity

The invalidity of any provisions of this Master Deed shall not be deemed to impair or affect in any manner the validity, enforceability or effect of the remainder of this Master Deed and, in such event, all of the other provisions of this Master Deed shall continue in full force and effect as if such invalid provisions had never been included herein.

#### 16. Waiver

No provision contained in this Master Deed shall be deemed to have been abrogated or waived by reason of any failure to enforce the same, irrespective of the number of violations or breaches which may occur.

#### 17. Captions

The captions herein are inserted only as a matter of convenience and for reference, and in no way define, limit or describe the scope of this Master Deed nor the intent of any provision hereof.

#### 18. Conflicts

This laster Deed is set forth to comply with the requirements of Chapter 183A of the General Laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. In case any of the provisions stated above conflict with the provisions of said statute, the provisions of said statute shall control.

## 19. Provisions for the Protection of Hertgagees

Notwithstanding anything in this Master Deed or in the Ridgmant Condominium Trust ("Condominium Trust") and By-Laws to the contrary, the following provisions shall apply for the protection of the holders of the first mortgages (hereinafter "First Mortgages") of record with respect to the Units and shall be enforceable by any First Mortgagee:

- (a) In the event that the Unit Owners shall amend this Master Deed or the Condominium Trust to include therein any right of first refusal in connection with the sale of a Unit, such right of first refusal shall not impair the rights of a First Mortgagee to:
  - (1) foreclose or take title to a Unit pursuant to the remedies provided in its mortgage; or
  - (ii) accept a deed (or assignment) in lieu of foreclosure in the event of default by a mortgagor; or
  - (iii) sell or lease a Unit acquired by the First Mortgagee through the procedures described in subparagraphs (1) and (ii) above.
- (b) Any party who takes title to a Unit through a foreclosure sale duly conducted: by a First Mortgagee shall be exempt from any such right of first refusal adopted by the Unit Owners and incurporated in this Master Deed or the Condominium Trust.
- (c) Any First Mortgagee who obtains title to a Unit by foreclosure or pursuant to any other remedies provided in its mortgage or by law shall not be liable for such Unit's unpaid common expenses or dues which accrued prior to the acquisition of title to such Unit by such First Mortgagee;
- (d) The Unit Owners and the Trustees shall not be entitled to take the following actions unless the First Mortgagees with respect to all of the Units have given their prior written consent thereto:
  - (i) by any act or omission, seek to abandon or terminate the Condominium, except in the event of substantial destruction of the Condominium by fire or other casualty or in the case of taking by condomnation or eminent domain; or
  - (ii) change the pro-rata interest or obligations of any individual Unit for the purpose of: (a) levying assessments or charges or allocating distributions of hazard insurance proceeds or condemnation awards; or (b) determining the pro-rata share of ownership of each Unit in the Common Areas and Facilities; or
  - (iii) partition or subdivide any Unit; or
  - (iv) by any act or emission seek to abandon, partition, subdivide, encumber, sell or transfer the Common Areas and Facilities, provided that the granting of easements for public purposes consistent with the intended use of the Common Areas and Facilities shall not be deemed an action for which prior consent of the First Mortgagees shall be required pursuant to this clause; or

- (v) use hazard insurance proceeds on account of losses to either the Units or the Common Areas and Facilities other than repair, replacement or reconstruction thereof, except as otherwise provided in paragraph 5.6.1 of the Condominium Trust, which contains provisions dealing with substantial losses in conformity with the requirements of Section 17 of Chapter 183A.
- (e) Consistent with the provisions of Chapter 183A, all taxes, assessments, and charges which may become liens prior to a first mortgage under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall relate only to the individual units and not to the Condominium as a whole.
- (f) In no event shall any provision of this Haster Deed or the Condominium Trust give a Unit Owner or any other party priority over any rights of a First Mortgagee pursuant to its mortgage in the case of a distribution to such Unit Owner of insurance proceeds or condemnation awards for losses to or a taking of such Unit and/or the Common Areas and Facilities.
- (g) A first Mortgagee, upon written request made to the Trustees of the Condominium Trust, shall be entitled to:
  - (i) written notification from the Trustees of the Condominium Trust of any default by its borrower who is an Owner of a Unit with respect to any obligation of such borrower under this Master Deed or the provisions of the Condominium Trust which is not cured within sixty (60) days;
  - (ii) inspect all books and records of the Condominium Trust at all reasonable times;
  - (iii) receive an audited annual financial statement of the Condominium Trust within ninety (90) days following the end of any fiscal year of the Condominium Trust;
  - (iv) receive written notice of all meetings of the Condominium Trust, and be permitted to designate a representative to attend all such meeting; and
  - (v) receive prompt written notification from the Trustees of the Condominium Trust of any damage by fire or other casualty to the Unit upon which the First Mortgagee holds a First Mortgage or any proposed taking by condemnation or eminent domain of said Unit or the Common Areas and Facilities.
- (h) No agreement for professional management of the Condominium or any other contract with the Declarant may exceed a term of three (3) years, and any such agreement shall provide for termination by either party without cause and without payment of a termination feeton thirty(30) days or less written notice.

The Declarant intends that the provisions of this paragraph 19 shall comply with the requirements of the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corporation with respect to condominium mortgage loans, and all questions with respect thereto shall be resolved consistent with that intention.

The provisions of this paragraph 19 may not be amended or rescinded without the written consent of all First Mortgagees, which consent shall appear on the instrument of amendment as such instrument is duly recorded with the Suffolk County Registry of Deeds in accordance with the requirements of paragraph 10 hereof.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Paul Robert Lohnes has caused this Haster Deed to be duly executed, sealed and delivered on this 2874 day of June, 1762

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

SUFFOLK, \$5:

June 28, 1882

Then personally appeared the above named Paul Robert Lohnes and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed, before me.

Stylen S. Clack
My Commission Expires: April 23,128

#### RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM

#### EXHIBIT A

A certain parcel of land situated in that part of Boston, Suffolk County, called Brighton, being the northerly part of Lot 2 on a Plan of the Estate of the heirs of Nathaniel Wethern, drawn by William Jackson, C.E., dated May 2, 1874, recorded with Suffolk Deeds in Book 1308, Page 10, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the most easterly corner of said lot at the point of intersection and the dividing line between Lots 2 and 5 on said plan, with the Northwesterly line of Honastery Road (formerly Union Street), thence running about Northwesterly on Lots 5 and 4 on said plan, one hundred twenty-three (123) feet, thence turning and running about

SOUTHWESTERLY on Lot 1 on said plan, forty-six and 3/10 (46.3) feet; thence turning and running

SOUTHEASTERLY on a line parallel with that first described one hundred twelve and 5/10 (112.5) feet to said Monastery Road; thence turning and running

NORTHEASTERLY. on said Monastery Road, forty-five (45) feet to the point of beginning,

Containing 5,290 square feet of land, more or less.

Also another certain parcel of land with the buildings thereon situated on the Northwesterlt side of Monastery Road (formerly Union Street) in said Brighton, being Lots 4 and 5 on said above-mentioned plan, together bounded and described as follows:

NORTHEASTERLY by private st. 30 ft. wide, (now known as LaRose Piace), one hundred twenty-three (123) feet;

SOUTHEASTERLY by Union Street, seventy (70) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot No. 2, shown on said plan, one hundred twenty-three (123) feets and

NORTHWESTERLY by Lot No. 3, shown on said plan, seventy (70) feet.

Said lots together containing 8,610 square feet of land, according to said plan.

The above described parcels are also shown on a Plan of Land, Boston, (Brighton District) dated December, 1964, Francis A. Cass, Engr., recorded with Suffolk Deeds in Book 7917, Page 458. For title, see deed of Herbert and Mark Mandell recorded in Book 9/57, Page 288, at Suffolk Registry of Deeds.

## RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM

## EXHIBIT B

The building comprising the Condominium has no name as of the date hereof. It is located at 2 LaRose Street, Brighton, Massachusetts. The building has a ground floor, three floors above the ground floor and a penthouse floor located on the roof.

The building is of brick exterior construction.

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# RIDGEMONT CONDOMINIUM

#### EXHIBIT C

UNIT NUMBER	LOCATION	NUMBER OF ROOMS*	APPROXIMATE AREA IN SQUARE FEET	PERCENT INTEREST IN COMMON ELEMENTS
1	ground floor	4	712	3.89
•	9. 54. 10	3	578	3.16
3	#	2	416	2.27
Ă	*	2	490	2.68
5		ž .	638	3.49
6	*	Ā	712	3.89
7	first floor	ā	734	4.01
8	* * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * * *	3	640	3.50
9		å	735	4.02
10	tt.	Ā	736	4.02
11		3	642	3.51
12		Ă	735	4.02
13	second floor	Ä	736	4.02
14	3660110 11001	ž	640	3.50
15	99	å	735	4.02
16	- #	à	740	4.05
16 17	21	3 -	642	3.51
18	. н	<b>ă</b> .	736	4.02
19	third floor	4	736	4.02
- 20		à	640	3.50
21		<b>4</b> .	735	4.02
. 22		4 \	740	4.05
23		3	642	3.51
. 24	. #	Ă	736	4.02
25	fourth floor	5	2064	11.30
	penthouse	•.		100.00%

\*Number of Rooms does not include "Dining Areas", entrys, foyers, halls, baths, laundry rooms, storage rooms, or closets.

#### Common Area Access

Units 1.6.7. 9.10.12.13.15.16.18.19.21, 22, and 24 have immediate access to a common area hallway from the livingrooms of said Units. In addition, said Units have immediate access to a common area hallway from the kitchens of said Units.

Units 2,5.8, 11,17,20, and 23 have immediate access to a common area hallway from the dining areas of said Units.

Units 3 and 4 have immediate access to common area hallways from the studio rooms of said Units.

Unit 25 has immediate access to a common area front stairway from the Entry of said Unit. In addition, Unit 25 has immediate access to a common area "Deck (common passage)" from the Laundry of saidt.

# EXHIBIT C CONTINUED

The Unit dimensions shown on the Plans extend to interior wall surfaces but, as hereinafter set forth, Unit boundaries extend in most cases to the plane of the interior surface of the wall studs.

The boundaries of the Units, with respect to the floors, ceilings, doors, and windows thereof are as follows:

(1) Floors:

the plane of the upper surface of the subflooring, or in the case of those : Units without subflooring, the plane of the upper surface of the floor slab.

(2) Ceilings:

- the plane of the lower surface of the ceiling joist or, in the case of a Unit situated immediately beneath an exterior roof, the plane of the lower surface of the roof rafters.
- (3) Interior Building
  Walls between Units and
  between Units and Common
  Areas:
- the plane of the surface of the wall furrings or studs, or the plane of the surface facing such unit of the masonry or cement when masonry or cement is the finished material.
- (4) Doors and Windows:
- the plane of the exterior surface of doors, the exterior surface of window glass and the interior surface of the window frames.
- (5) Exterior Building Walls:
- the plane of the interior surface of wall furring, or the plane of the interior surface of the masonry when masonry is the finished material.